# Year 4 Curriculum Plan Spring Term 2B

Religious Studies: why is Easter important to Christians?

Arabic: Dress and Fashion

#### English:

<u>Fairy tales:</u> Children will explore, read and write fairy tales with a twisted ending. They will focus on dialogue writing.

Report Writing: Children will discover interesting facts and write a report using all the features of a non-chronological report.

<u>List poems and Kennings:</u> Children will study a range of list poems including some based on similes. Look in detail at the word types used: nouns, adjectives, verbs, prepositions and adverbs. Then investigate kenning poems - contracted metaphor list poems.

## Numeracy:

**Shape:** children will learn about lines of symmetry, different angles and the properties of polygons.

<u>Addition and Subtraction:</u> children will look at adding and subtracting money using column addition and written subtraction methods.

<u>Multiplication and Division:</u> children will look at written multiplication methods, chunking division and multiplying multiples of 10.

## **Islamic Studies:**

Figh - How to perform each posture of salaah
Aqaaid - Events of the Last Day
Seerah - Events during migration
Memorisation - Surah Aadiyaat and Zilzaal
Tajweed - Safar Learn to Read level 18 a/b

# **<u>Humanities:</u>** British Empire

Children will learn how the British Empire was established and how it spread. They will also explore the British Raj and how the British Empire still has an influence today.

#### Computing: Turtle Logo

Children will study Programming with the software 'Turtle Academy'. They will learn to input simple commands to create algorithms for geometric shapes, patterns and designs.

#### Art/D.T - Battery Operated Lights

Children will develop understanding about series and parallel circuits and different types switches. They will then be given the chance to apply their knowledge about electric circuits in a purposeful way by designing and making a battery operated light which will be controlled by a homemade switch.

P.E:

## **PSHE:** Respecting Rights

Children will study the important topic of Human Rights and they will look at Declarations, the meaning of democracy and learn to respect the Rights of others.

#### Science: Electricity

Children will learn how electricity is generated and how it reaches our homes. They will learn to identify appliances that run on Mains electricity and those that are battery-powered. They will attempt to make their own working simple circuits. They will also research the difference between insulators and conductors.

# **Important Dates:**

05.03.22 - World Book Day

07.03.22 - Assessments

14.03.22 - Science Week

21.03.22 - WOW Writing

28.03.22 - Learning Experience Week